





Frequently Asked Questions

What is the Prugråman Salåppe' 3 Program?

Governor Lou Leon Guerrero signed Executive Order No. 2022-16 launching the third round of *Prugråman Salåppe' Ayudon I Taotao* (*Prugråman Salåppe' 3*) with increased direct cash assistance and expanded eligibility to bring more relief to even more working families. The Department of Administration (DOA) will begin accepting new applications on Monday, June 27 to July 27, 2022.

The Administration is taking action to revive our economy and help our people get back to work, and to enable those in our community hit hardest by the COVID-19 pandemic to meet the surging prices at the pump, the Department of Administration has been tasked to reactivate the established Prugråman Salåppe' Program to provide additional direct aid to individuals and households consistent with ARP Coronavirus State and Local Recovery Funds Final Rule eligibility requirements.

Amounts paid under this Program are intended to assist individuals and families who have experienced adverse economic impact as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Such amounts are not income, and not subject to garnishment or local income taxation.

What relief assistance programs are offered under Guam's Prugraman Salappe' 3 Program?

Guam's Prugraman Salappe' 3 Program offers a onetime cash assistance of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) per eligible household.

How do you determine household members?

A household is composed of an individual or groups of individuals living together.

Individuals who live with you and meet the following criteria must be included in your household:

- Spouses
- Children under 22 years of age (includes natural, adoptive or step-children)
- Elderly and disabled persons. (Individual must be 60 years of age or older and is unable to purchase and prepare meals because he or she suffers from a disability considered permanent under the Social Security Act or a non disease-related, severe, permanent disability may be considered, together with his or her spouse (if living there), a separate household from the others with whom the individual lives. Separate household status under this provision must not be granted when the income of the others with whom the elderly disabled individual resides (excluding the income of the elderly and disabled individual and his or her spouse) exceeds 165 percent of the poverty line.
- Individuals who purchase food and prepare meals together for home consumption.

Who is eligible for Guam's Prugraman Salappe' 3 Program?

Applicants <u>must meet each of the following criteria</u> to be eligible for assistance:

- o Applicant must reside on Guam for a minimum of 6 months at the time of submitting application.
- Must meet the gross annual income limit per household:

Household Size	Total Household Income
	Per Year
1	46,890
2	63,810
3	79,470
4	95,760
5	112,050
6	128,340
7	144,340
8	160,920
9	177,210
10	193,500
11	209,790
12	226,080
13	242,370
14	258,660

What documents are required with your application?

- o **Identity:** Driver's License, Guam Identification Card or Passport
- SSN: Social Security card for each member of the household or SS Office receipt of application for a number, government or employer issued document indicating the member's full SSN.
- Earned Income (one of the following): 2 most recent check stubs, current Employment
 Verification, current month filed gross receipts, 1040 Form filed/validated by Dept. of Revenue & Taxation, or income self-attestation.
- Unearned Income: Social Security, VA or Retirement Income statements. Court Order or statement from the absent parent for child support received.

All required documents must be attached with the application form. Incomplete applications will delay the review and payment process.

If you applied for Prugraman Salappe' 2 do I need to reapply?

If you were deemed eligible under Prugråman Salåppe' 2 and received your \$300, you do not have to reapply. DOA will process your \$500 payment automatically.

If you were deemed ineligible under Prugråman Salåppe' 2 based on income or residency status, and now feel you meet the eligibility under Prugråman Salåppe' 3, please contact our office at 671.638.3833/3834 for further assistance.

If you have not received your Prugraman Salappe' 2 \$300 financial assistance, and have not submitted your required documents as requested, please email immediately to PSPDOCS@doa.guam.gov so we can continue to process for eligibility.

If you did not apply for Prugråman Salåppe' 2 which ended May 22, 2022, you are not eligible to receive the \$300 as disburse under Prugråman Salåppe' 2.

How do I apply for assistance?

Guam's Prugråman Salåppe 3 application is available at our ITC office Suite 215, 2nd floor.

Individuals can apply online at the DOA website at www.doa.guam.gov or submit a hard copy application at our ITC office Suite 215, Monday thru Friday, 8am to 5pm. Applications with missing documents will not be accepted.

Do I automatically qualify if I am receiving other federal assistance?

Applicants currently receiving assistance from any of the following federally funded programs are automatically eligible for the program:

- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERA)

If you are claiming assistance from any of these programs, certification document from the program must be submitted along with your application.

Will I receive assistance directly if my household is eligible?

Payments will be made directly to the individual applying for the household through printed check or direct deposit if household is deemed eligible.

Printed checks will be mailed to head of household to the mailing address indicated on the application. Banking information such as routing number and account number are required on the application for direct deposit. Must be a U.S. bank. Incorrect information will result in delays.

Direct cash assistance is processed for payment or eligible applicants no later than fourteen (14) days from the date of verification of eligibility.

What is the duration of Guam's Prugraman Salappe' 3 Program?

Applications will be accepted June 27, 2022 8am – July 27, 2022 5:00pm

For information on Guam's Prugråman Salåppe' Program please visit www.doa.guam.gov or email PSP@doa.guam.gov or contact us at 671.638.3833/3834. Office is located at 2nd Floor ITC Bldg. Suite 215 Tamuning, Guam.